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Applicant: James F. McGuckin, Jr., et al  
 Serial No: 10/800,299 Group Art Unit: 3731  
 Filed: March 12, 2004 Examiner: Erezo, Darwin P.  
 For: DISTAL PROTECTION DEVICE

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner For Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a), an extension of time of

	<u>Large Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
one month	[ ] \$ 120.00	[ ] \$ 60.00
two month	[ ] 460.00	[X] 230.00
three months	[ ] 1,050.00	[ ] 525.00
four months	[ ] 1,640.00	[ ] 820.00

is hereby requested to

- [X] respond to the Office Action mailed July 13, 2007;  
 file a Notice of Appeal;  
 file an Appeal Brief \_\_\_\_\_;  
 respond to Notice for Filing Missing Parts \_\_\_\_\_;  
 other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_;
- [ ] An extension of time for \_\_\_\_\_ ( ) month was previously secured for filing the above identified communication, and the fee paid therefor of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension is \$ \_\_\_\_\_ minus the fee previously paid of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ equals \$ \_\_\_\_\_, the total fee due.
- [X] Please charge the requisite fee, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17, of \$230.00 to Deposit Account No. 501567
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this application, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501567. TWO DUPLICATE COPIES OF THIS SHEET ARE ENCLOSED.

Respectfully submitted,

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